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BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Yoshihiro NAKAJIMA and Akira FUKUIZUMI
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
Assignee: NEC CORPORATION
Our Ref. Q64096

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 42 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 10 sheets of drawings, the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449 and 1 reference.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

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|---------------------------|----|---|----|---|---|---------|---|-----------------|
| Total claims | 20 | - | 20 | = | x | \$18.00 | = | |
| Independent claims | 1 | - | 3 | = | x | \$80.00 | = | |
| Base Fee | | | | | | | | \$710.00 |
| TOTAL FILING FEE | | | | | | | | \$710.00 |
| Recordation of Assignment | | | | | | | | \$40.00 |
| TOTAL FEE | | | | | | | | \$750.00 |

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$710.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from August 31, 2000, and January 22, 2001, based on Japanese Application Nos. 2000-264083 and 2001-013869, respectively. The priority documents are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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